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PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 06556.0003-03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
John POLK) Group Art Unit: 3691
Application No.: 09/973,865) Examiner: Stefano Karmis
Filed: October 11, 2001))
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR (CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENT PROCESSING AND CHILD SUPPORT DISBURSEMENT PROCESS	Confirmation No.: 3546))
Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on December 7, 2006, stated that a complete listing of all of the claims was not present in Applicant's Reply to Office Action filed November 21, 2006. In response, as specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 and M.P.E.P. § 714, Applicant submits herewith a revised Amendments to the Claims section that includes a reference to cancelled claims 1-126, which was inadvertently omitted from the Reply to Office Action filed November 21, 2006. This response is timely because it is filed within one month of the mail date of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: December 21, 2006

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Attachment: Corrected Amendments to the Claims section (16 page)